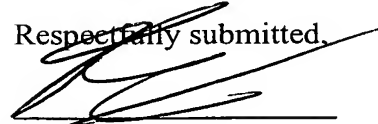


REMARKS

The above amendatory action, except for claim 2, is taken solely for the purpose of avoiding claim fee that would otherwise accrue due to the presence of multiple dependent claims.

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